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WHEREAS, teen drinking is linked to risky behavior and injury; and

WHEREAS, many teens who drink obtain alcohol from social sources, including at parties, from older friends, and from other adults; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Trade Commission has developed an educational campaign, "We Don't Serve Teens," providing information about teen drinking and how to reduce teens' easy access to alcohol; and

WHEREAS, working together, government and private entities can help stop easy teen access to alcohol and reduce underage drinking.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Sanford, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim September 10 - 15, 2007, as

WE DON'T SERVE TEENS WEEK

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to work toward reducing teen access to alcohol.

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